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GENERAL NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

Peculiar Sickness in the South.

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 11.—The *Courier-Journal's* correspondents report no yellow fever in the south, but some sort of sickness seems to have been caused by the disinterment of the bodies of persons who died of yellow fever.

College Building Burned.

TERRE HAUTE, Feb. 11.—A building at Greencastle, Indiana, formerly used by the Ashbury University, but lately as a preparatory school, and for other purposes, burned this afternoon; also a museum worth $5,000 and library $10,000.

A Defaulting Official.

BELLEVILLE, Ill., Feb. 11.—Geo. W. Sieber, treasurer of St. Clair county, is defaulter for about 330,000; assets, $15,000. His bondsmen will settle the balance.

An Official Condemned.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Feb. 11.—At Sumpter to-day Col. Lee, a colored Republican leader, recently appointed postmaster at this place, was tried and found guilty of official misconduct while judge of probate. Lee could not be found, but was represented by counsel.

Paying the Fiddler.

CHARLESTON, Feb. 11.—Sam Lee's counsel at Sumter, made a motion for a new trial and arrest of judgment. Both motions were denied and Lee was called for sentence, but failed to appear, and Judge Mackey placed the sentence under seal with the clerk of the court.

The grand jury of Charleston county today found a true bill against E. W. Mackey, Republican, for libel, in publishing charges against W. L. Daggett, Democrat, of stuffing the ballot box at Palmetto engine house at the late election.

Fatal Accident.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 11.—Early this morning the walls of a cut being made for the Chicago & Alton railroad at the foot of grand avenue, caved in and buried workmen and teams under 6,000 yards of falling earth. Peter Bagley, James Hagen, Thomas Casey, Edward Hines, Dan. Lucett and Richard Rene were killed outright and several others wounded. All the other bodies have been recovered.

Diseased Meat for Sale.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—The Brooklyn health officers charge that a number of cows suffering from pleuro pneumonia have been taken from the stables and slaughtered at the abattoir. The carcasses are now under guard until veterinary surgeons investigate them.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Relating to Railroads.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—It is believed here by many that the southern managers of plans for subsidizing the Pacific railroad on the 32d parallel have injured their prospects by an alliance with the Pennsylvania railroad magnates. They say that if the Texas Pacific was a genuine southern enterprise, designed to distribute traffic to the southern cities, it might in the present temper of congress and the country towards the Union and Central companies be favorably considered. But there is no guarantee that this will be done while the controling interest remains with Pennsylvania railroadists.

Democratic Congressional Caucus.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—At a joint Democratic caucus of senators and representatives, held in the hall of the house of representatives to-night, the first subject considered was a proposition to repeal clauses in the revised statutes regarding the test oath for jurors. Senator Thurman offered an amendment to the original proposition providing the mode of drawing jurors in the states where there is no provision for that purpose. Southard offered another amendment to repeal sections of federal elections law. Much discussion arose. Thurman urged his resolution in strong terms. Blackburn maintained that but one of the repealing measures should be attached to one appropriation bill. Senator Bayard opposed placing such repealing clauses to appropriation bills. He was answered by Senator Thurman. Finally the the above propositions with the amendments were adopted, and will accordingly be appended to the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill in the house.

Corbin-Butler Again.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—Republican senators in caucus to-day failed to decide a proposition to secure an assignment of an early date for action on the Corbin-Butler contest. There was an informal discussion of the course to pursue in the case.

"Tagged-on" Measures.

Amendments providing for the repeal of federal supervisors' and test oath laws are attached by the house to the appropriation bills. The general tenor of expression was to the effect that effort to enact such legislation upon an appropriation bill should be strenuously resisted even to the extent of causing the bill to fail.

The Potter Committee.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—The Potter investigating committee in secret session to-day laid on the table the letter from Dr. Green, president of the W. U. T. Co., published on Monday, after a few comments upon its publication before it came into the hands of the committee. The majority of the committee, it was stated, did not intend to call any other witnesses at present. Whether they will subsequently, remains to be considered.

Recommendations for the Pacific Coast.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—The river and harbor appropriation bill reported to the house to-day contains the following appropriations for the Pacific coast: Oakland, $60,000; Wilmington, $11,000; Willamette and Columbia river, $45,000; Coos Bay, $40,000; Upper Columbia river, $10,000; canal at the Cascades of the Columbia river, $50,000.

Wrangle in the House.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—In the house today while the executive, judicial and legislative appropriation bill was under discussion, the following colloquy occurred: Page opposed the transfer of the surveyors general provision of the bill, which he stated was being urged by a strong lobby. About 300 sections of the revised statutes relating to public lands would be repealed by that provision. Wigginton favored the transfer and various provisions of the bill pertaining thereto. There was no necessity for retaining the office of surveyors general in the several states, and he was glad they were abolished by the bill; but the bill should have gone further and abolished the local land offices. Patterson inquired if the business of the people would be facilitated by removing sixteen local officers and concentrating their duties in one head. Wigginton replied that it would; that the local surveyors general were a hindrance rather than a help to claimants. McGinnis, of Montana, thought that the gentleman from California (Wigginton) was the only representative of the far west who was in favor of the change. Legislatures of the western section, on the contrary, had memorialized congress in favor of continuance of the present system. The bill would virtually repeal the homestead and pre-emption laws.

Recommendations for Indian Territory.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—The bill reported by Senator Patterson from the committee on territories, to establish a U. S. court in Indian territory and for other purposes, provides for regulating the administration of justice in the territory and for making citizens of white, colored and Indian residents. A unanimous report of the committee accompanying the bill includes an elaborate review of the condition of the territory.

CENTRAL AMERICA.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—A dispatch from the *Star and Herald* of Panama, says that a serious revolution has broken out in Antioquai.

DISASTROUS DEFEAT.

A Column of the Queen's Troops Slaughtered in South Africa by an Overwhelming Force of Natives.

Gallant but Unavailing Resistance by the Troops.

Lord Chelmsford's Official Report.

MORE TROOPS FOR AFRICA.

[SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

England's Army in Africa Terribly Beaten by the Natives—More Troops Wanted.

CAPE TOWN VIA ST. VINCENT, Jan. 30.—On the 22d inst. a British column consisting of a portion of the 24th regiment, a battery of artillery and 600 native auxiliaries, were utter annihilated near Tuquela river by 20,000 Zulus, who captured a valuable convoy of 102 wagons, 1,000 oxen, two cannon, 400 shot and shell, 1,000 rifles, 25,000 rounds of ammunition, 60,000 pounds weight of provisions, and the colors of the 24th regiment. It is estimated that 5,000 Zulus were killed and wounded in the battle. Among the killed on the British side are two majors, four captains, twelve lieutenants and a quartermaster of the 24th regiment; two captains of the royal artillery; a colonel, captain, four lieutenants, sergeant and major of engineers, besides twenty other British officers commanding native levies. Seven attacks, subsequently made by the Zulus, have been repulsed, and the colony is now somewhat recovering from the utter consternation which at first prevailed. Natal, however, is in great danger, and disturbances are feared in Pongland. Lord Chelmsford, commander of the expedition, has been forced to retire in consequence of the defeat. It is estimated that 600 soldiers were killed, besides the officers enumerated above. Governor Sir Bartle Freere has sent appeals to England for reinforcements. The mail steamer for England was dispatched a day earlier than usual with a request for six regiments of infantry and a brigade of cavalry.

LONDON, Feb. 11.—Details of the disaster to the British force in South Africa show that the guns were spiked before they were captured.

The Defeat to be Investigated.

LONDON, Feb. 11.—Lord Chelmsford, commander of the Zulu land expedition, sets down the British loss at thirty officers and about five hundred non-commissioned officers rank and file of the imperial troops, and seventy non-commissioned officers rank and file of the colonial troops. A court of inquiry has been ordered to collect evidence regarding the affair. It would seem that the troops were enticed from their camp, as the action took place about a mile and a quarter outside of it.

The Slaughtered Column—Chelmsford's Report.

LONDON, Feb. 11.—The following is the full strength of the British column, a part of which was attacked by the Zulus:

No. 3 column, headquarters at Help Makaar, near Rorkes drift; commandant, Col. Glyn, 1st battalion of the 24th regiment, artillery N battery; 5th brigade, royal artillery, with 7 pounder gun; infantry, seven companies of the 1st battalion, of the 24th regiment; and the 2d battalion of the 24th regiment, under Lieut. Col. Degacher; mounted police and volunteers: national carbineers; Buffalo border guard; Newcastle mounted rifles; all mounted and averaging 40 men each, and a native contingent of 1,000 men under the commandant of Lonsdale, late of the 74th Highlanders.

The following communication has been received at the war office from Lord Chelmsford:

I regret to have to report a very disastrous engagement, on the 22d of January, between the Zulus and a portion of No. 3 column which was left to guard the camp. About 10 miles in front of Rorkes drift the Zulus came down in overwhelming numbers, and in spite of a gallant resistance by five companies, the first battalion of the 24th regiment, one company of the 2d battalion of the 24th regiment, two guns, two rocket tubes, 164 mounted men and about 800 natives, they overwhelmed them, and the camp containing all the surplus ammunition and transport of No. 3 column was taken, and but few of the defenders escaped. Our loss I fear, must be set down at 30 officer and about 500 non commissioned officers rank and file of the imperial troops, and 70 non-commissioned officers rank and file of the colonial troops.

A court of inquiry has been ordered to assemble and to collect evidence regarding this unfortunate affair which will be forwarded to you as soon as received. Full particulars as far as can be obtained have been sent in my dispatch which will reach you by next mail.

It would seem that the troops were enticed away from their camp, as the action took place about a mile and a quarter outside of it. The remainder of Col. Glyn's column reoccupied the camp after dark the same night, having been with me twelve miles away all day. On the following morning we arrived at Rorke's drift, which for two days before had been attacked by from 3,000 to 4,000 Zulus. In defense by the same 800 men of the 24th regiment was most gallant; 370 bodies lay close around the post. I compute the Zulus' loss at 1,000 here alone. At camp where the disaster occurred, the loss of the enemy is computed at over 2,000. Col Pearson, commanding No. 1 column, has been attacked, but he repulsed the Zulus.

An Official and Popular Equation.

LONDON, Feb. 11.—A summons was issued this morning for a cabinet council to be held at 2 this afternoon to deliberate on the reverses to British troops in Zulu land. Official telegrams announcing the defeat were received at the colonial office at 12:30 this morning. They substantially confirm the details already given. News of the defeat has caused a sensation throughout London, and the demand for newspapers at all suburban stations was greater than since the outbreak of the Franco-German war.

The "Times" on the African Disaster.

LONDON, Feb. 11.—The *Times*, commenting on the news from Cape Town, says: It would be useless to deny either the sadness or extreme gravity of the catastrophe, whether there was or was not any want of vigilance on the part of our own forces. It is clear that the Zulus are even more formidable than our military authorities expected them to be. We now know too well how large a force they can mass at one point. Sad as the loss of our own troops is, still graver is the peril which must arise with defeat. The Zulus will be emboldened and the colonists be exposed to fresh and formidable dangers. In these circumstances the duty of the government cannot admit of the slightest doubt, and it is to send ample reinforcements to the cape without needless delay of a single hour.

Reinforcements for Chelmsford.

LONDON, Feb. 11.—The cabinet council to day decided to send six battalions of infantry, two regiments of cavalry, two batteries of artillery, a company of engineers, three companies of army service corps, and a company of army hospital corps, to reinforce Lord Chelmsford.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

Senator Christiancy goes to Peru to secure a special lot of cinchona bark for some of his colleagues in the senate.

Southern journals charge that congressman Bragg, of Wisconsin, does not pay due regard to his own party's interest.

The Cincinnati gas companies offer to supply the city with gas at $1 50, if it will agree to use the gas for ten years.

The great Baptist denomination records a gain during 1878 of 77,810. It had a membership of 2,102,934 on new year's day.

The people of Illinois are strongly urging the enlargement of the Illinois and Michigan ship canal. It is proposed to accomplish the work by a state appropriation.

The Augusta (Ga.) *Chronicle* says that if the northern Democrats think they can get along by themselves, let them try the experiment. His article is appropriately entitled "Brags and Bluster."

The disgust caused in Beacon street by the announcement of Ben Butler's intention to run again could only be compared to the sensation of a truly "culchured" man who sees his next neighbor eating pie with a knife.

EUROPEAN NEWS.

Mechanics' Strike in London.

LONDON, Feb 11.—Boiler makers here have struck. The bolt makers, pattern makers and 100 other tradesmen are to follow.

The Strike in Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, Feb 11.—Striking laborers have appointed a deputation to learn the views of the Steamship Owners Association, but the deputation is prohibited from making any compromise. Not a single vessel sailed from Liverpool for foreign port on Monday. Several hundred sailors have formed a union. The number of strikers of all classes now here is estimated at from 50,000 to 60,000.

Vessels Ashore.

The men-of-war *Active* and *Tenedos* have been ashore. The *Tenedos* was seriously injured, and obliged to go into the dock at Queenstown Bay.

The English Cattle Order.

LONDON, Feb. 11.—A special supplement to the *Gazette* has been issued containing an order from the privy council revoking, after March 3, 1879, article 13 of the foreign animal orders, as far as it relates to the United States. Under article 13 American cattle have hitherto been landed without slaughter or quarantine. The present order applies to ports of Great Britain only.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 11.—An order of the privy council revoking after March 3d, article 13 of the foreign animals order so far as it relates to the United States, was a great surprise. All cattle from the United States, after March 3d, will have to be slaughtered in abattoirs now preparing on docks at Birkenhead and Liverpool, within ten days after landing.

Another Version of the Eastern Treaty.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 11.—The definitive treaty between Russia and Turkey declares peace and cordial relations to be re-established between Russia and Turkey, and provides that articles of the San Stefano treaty which were not modified by the treaty of Berlin shall remain in force. The mode of payment of the war indemnity and compensation to Russian residents of Turkey who suffered through the war is left for future agreement. All prosecutions for aiding the other side during the war are abandoned, and persons implicated in the Roumelian disturbances are pardoned. The protocol declares that the recognition of the treaty of Berlin in the present treaty changes neither its character nor range of power. As Servia, Montenegro and Roumania are independent, Russia leaves them free to come to an understanding for themselves with the porte relative to their claims for war indemnities.

Russian Troops to Leave Turkey.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 11.—Gen. Todleben has telegraphed Prince Labanoff that he will begin evacuation of Adrianople in ten days and is making a requisition for all wagons for transportation purposes.

The New Nation.

SOPHIA, Feb. 11.—The Bulgarian assembly consists of 221 notables. Of these, 108 are members ex-officio, 91 elected by popular vote and 22 nominated by Prince Daudonkoff Korsakoff, who appoints 71 Mohammedans, 6 Bulgarians, a Greek bishop, a mufti and a rabbi. The constitution of Bulgaria will be chiefly modeled on that of Servia. The prince will have a civil list of one million piastres, and succession to the throne will be hereditary. The ministry will be absolutely responsible to the national assembly, which will control the legislative, financial and administrative departments.

The Ameer of Afghanistan.

CALCUTTA, Feb. 11.—A report of the death of the ameer of Afghanistan is untrue. It is the ameer of Bokhara. The ameer of Afghanistan will endeavor to reach Herat. Yakoob Khan recently sent a cavalry regiment to Khaisan to quell disturbances among the tribes there, whereupon the factions suspended hostilities and attacked and routed the regiment.

Precautions against the Plague.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 11.—Gen. Louis Melikoff has proposed to the governors of Astrakhan, Samari and Saratoff that all paper money circulating be exchanged for new, through the Kama Volga bank and destroyed. The attention of medical authorities is concentrated on Selitreno and neighboring districts. The St. Petersburg sanitary committee proposes to cleanse the canal and organize large hospitals which can be anchored in the Gulf of Bosnia, also to organize sanitary commissions in each district, city and province.

Insults to the Spanish Flag.

MADRID, Feb. 11.—On receipt of official reports from Puerto Platt the government will if necessary dispatch a man of-war to San Domingo to exact a heavy indemnity for the families of two generals taken from a Spanish steamer and shot, and satisfaction for an insult to the Spanish flag. The government has purchased all private rights in Cabrera, one of the Baleric islands in the Mediterranean, intending to establish a penitentiary and agricultural colony.

Created Cardinal.

PARIS, Feb. 11.—Monsignor Desprez, archbishop of Toulouse and Narbonne, has been created a cardinal.

Opening of the Reichstag.

BERLIN, Feb. 11.—The emperor will open the reichstag and deliver a speech from the throne to-morrow.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

A Thieving Collector.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 11.—G. L. Quiver, a collector for the Contra Costa Laundry Association, has been arrested on a charge of embezzling the money of the company. He began his operations immediately after he went into the employ of the company—about two years ago—and his peculations aggregate over $13,000. He was taken over to Oakland and locked up.

Dividend.

Eureka Con declares a dividend of $2.

Pacific Coast Stocks for the New York Market.

The *Stock Report* to-day, in an article on the listing of Pacific coast stocks in the New York stock exchange, and referring to the fact that he Standard will soon be so listed, says: In order to list stock on the New York stock exchange a corporation must have 100,000 shares. Hence the new corporation of the Standard Consolidated has been formed to work the Standard mine. To meet the rules of the New York stock exchange stock of the Standard for eastern traders will be issued by the National Bank Note Company and the vice president and secretary will be elected to act in New York. At this end of the line there will be no change in the character of the certificates, except that the present holders will receive two certificates for one, agreeable to the increase in capital stock.

Death of an Editor.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 11.—Geo. W. Gift, editor of the Napa *Reporter*, a captain in the confederate navy during the war, died at Napa to-day.

Geo. M. Pinney on Trial.

The impaneling of a jury to try George M. Pinney on the first of four indictments for fraudulently issuing navy pay certificates was begun this forenoon in the United States circuit court, and the understanding between counsel is said to be that the verdict in this case is to decide whether the other three are to be brought to trial. The evidence to be introduced will be identical with that given on the trial of ex-Paymaster Spaulding, who was acquitted. As regards Pinney, the U. S. district attorney claims that the fact of his filling out blank certificates of payment already bearing Spaulding's signature made him legally guilty of fraud. The defense will be that there is no evidence to connect him with the payment and that the filling out by him was a clerical duty as the paymaster's clerk, for which the head of the department was responsible.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senate.

WASHINGTON, Feb 11

Morril reported without amendment senate bill authorizing the conversion of national gold banks and nks, reported without amendment senate bill to amend sections 5,157 and 5,171 of the revised statutes relative to the deposit of bonds.

Dorsey reported back the postoffice appropriation bill with various amendments, placed on the calendar.

Cameron of Pennsylvania, submitted a joint resolution providing for a commission to consider and report what legislation is needed for the better regulation of commerce among the states; referred.

The vice president presented a communication from the secretary of the interior in answer to a resolution inquiring as to what additional clerical force will be necessary in the pension and surgeon general's office to secure to applicants for pensions prompt adjustment of their claims. Commissioner Bentley says that no increase of the force can secure to applicants a prompt adjustment of their claims under the system now established by law. The settlement of claims in this office cannot be material y reduced except by furnishing a higher order of talent whose education and experience render them experts in the examination and consideration of testimony.

Windom, from the conference on naval appropriation bill, submitted a report. Agreed to and the bill passed.

Senate added $66,500 to the house bill

House conferees receded from disagreement to the amendments involving $11,500, and senate receded. The bill as agreed upon appropriates $4,023,968, being $122,532 less than the appropriation of the present fiscal year, and $157,412 less than the estimates next year.

A number of bills were passed for the removal of political disabilities.

Cockrell, from the committee on military affairs, reported with amendments senate bill to provide for ascertaining and reporting the expenses incurred by the Territory of Idaho and the people thereof in defending themselves from the attacks and late hities of the Nez Perces Indians in 1877.

Calendar bill to provide additional accommodation for the library of congress led to a long discussion.

Pending discussion Ferry submitted an amendment to the army appropriation bill, to provide brevets to be conferred on officers of volunteers for services in the field who are now officers.

On motion of Thurman an executive session was held, and when the doors were re-opened the senate adjourned.

House.

Conference report on the naval appropriation bill was agreed to.

The house then went into committee on the legislative appropriation bill.

Patterson, of N.Y., opposed that portion of the bill which proposes to transfer the coast and geodetic survey from the treasury to the interior department; that the provision would virtually abolish the system of public land surveys. The bill would throw insurmountable obstacles in the way of settlement of the public domain.

Page, Bennett, Hewitt and Hale opposed the transfer, and Wigginton, Hewitt, (N. C.), Butler and Garfield favored it. After some progress in the bill the committee rose.

Reagan, chairman of the committee on commerce, reported the river and harbor appropriation bill; ordered printed and recommitted.

Adjourned.

OREGON.

MR. E. I. Herron is the O. S. N. Co.'s agent at Salem.

A crippled beggar is prowling about in Eastern Oregon.

Skating has been good for nearly a month on the Klamath lakes.

A Chinaman was recently fined $25 at Baker City for selling opium.

The people between Drain's station and the coast want a narrow-gauge railroad.

The late severe weather has temporarily destroyed the stock range about Coos Bay and stock sellers accordingly.

Money orders to the number of 1,020 were issued by the Jacksonville postoffice during 1878, valued at nearly $17,000.

Rev. N. A. Starr organized a Blue Ribbon club at Looking Glass on Monday evening last. It is composed of 61 members.

A man named Schaffer has been arrested at Albany, charged with stealing a quantity of bacon from McCully's store in Salem last fall.

Ducks never were so numerous at Linkville as they are at present, and hundreds are being slaughtered by the residents of that place.

A daily edition of the Roseburg *Plaindealer* is now issued. It is about the size of a sheet of common letter paper, and is mostly filled with local news.

Jacksonville will soon enjoy a variety of amusements. Two concerts, two parties, a dramatic entertainment and a minstrel performance are announced to come off within the next six weeks.

East Oregonian: The Columbia river is still blockaded and we are shut off from the rest of the world, but have the proud satisfaction of informing our foreign readers that we have a nice little world of our own here and are self sustaining.

Quail are becoming scarcer in this state every year and will soon be as rare as the pheasant. Sportsmen and trappers are fast depopulating the country of these birds, slaughtering them indiscriminately at any time of the year.

E. W. Fallett writes THE OREGONIAN from Olivet, Mich., Jan. 30. Please find enclosed $3 for your paper. I was a resident of Oregon nine years, and used to think your paper was hard to beat; and now I think it one of the best in the union.

The cargo of the schooner *Whitelaw*, recently wrecked on the California coast, was mostly owned by Coos Bay shippers. Several gentlemen from Marshfield were passengers on the vessel, but it is not known whether or not they were saved.

The Rye Valley Co. have struck a body of very rich ore in the north level of their lower mine which assays $2,000 per ton. From the indicatio is it appears that a great body of very rich ore is below their present level, as similar ore has been found all along their tunnel for over forty feet.

A cave has been discovered on Cheney creek, about five miles above the road leading to Wilderville in Southern Oregon. Parties have gone in about 200 feet and report things looking beautiful as far as they went. They were compelled to return on account of their lights giving out. As soon as the weather turns warm again there are numerous parties who intend exploring it thoroughly.

Hon. Matthew Fountain, a member of the legislative assembly from Jackson county, died on the 2d inst. at the residence of M. F. Hunt on Butte creek, in that county, after an illness of forty-eight hours. He was away from home on business, and attacked so suddenly as to be unable to return. He was a native of Kentucky, and an early pioneer of Oregon. He had attained the advanced age of 67 years, and was respected by all acquainted with him, both in private and public life. He leaves a family to mourn his loss.

A Silverton correspondent of the Salem *Statesman* says: The people of Silverton and vicinity met here yesterday pursuant to a call for a railroad meeting, to assist in the construction of a railroad from Oregon City, or some point north of said place, to Silverton, Oregon. And although the day was rainy, and the roads were muddy, a large number of people were present and quite an interest manifested on the subject. A subscription paper was circulated in the hall, and in a few minutes about seven thousand dollars was subscribed. A much larger sum is expected to be subscribed when the paper is circulated among the well to-do farmers in this part of the country, that were not here yesterday. All feel an interest in the matter, for we feel that we must have some way to transport our products to market.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

John Mathias is under arrest at Walla Walla for horse stealing.

Francis Murphey, a soldier of Company M, 1st cavalry, at Walla Walla, had his leg fearfully mangled while working at a portable sawmill used at the garrison for sawing wood, and he died from the effects of it after lingering in great pain and misery for several days.

THE NEW YORK APPOINTMENTS.

CONKLING AND THE ADMINISTRATION—VOTE ON THE CONFIRMATION OF MERRITT.

[Washington Special, Feb. 3.]

Conkling's speech is said by some who heard it to have been less than an hour in length—by others to have occupied two hours in delivery. The truth seems to be that it was so absorbingly interesting that senators took no note of time as it passed. To me was no review of the long continued controversy in what the senator from New York said, but it was a bar he seems very properly to have called a freeing of his mind.

In the midst of Conkling's speech he took from his pocket a large bundle of letters addressed to Arthur while he was collector, by different persons whose relations to the administration are, or were, more or less intimate, asking for the appointment of persons in the New York custom house, for various reasons given. Among the writers of these letters were McCrary, Gov. McCormick, when he was assistant secretary of the treasury, Rogers, the president's private secretary, and others. The scene in the senate during the reading of these letters was a most remarkable one. None such has been witnessed there for years. Conkling read one letter asking that Bradley be provided for in the New York custom house because he was a son of Justice Bradley, of the supreme court.

"Son of whom?" shouted some senator.

"Son of Justice Bradley," replied Conkling, in a very loud voice.

"What Justice Bradley is that?" asked another senator.

"Why, Justice Bradley of the electoral commission," said Mr Conkling, "and of the supreme court of the United States."

"Oh ho!" shouted a third senator; "then they wanted to provide for his, did they?"

A similar scene occurred when another letter was read asking for the appointment of John O. Howard of Ohio, "who had written the life of President Hayes."

"Whose life is that which he wrote?" shouted a senator with his hand at his ear.

"Life of the president, President Hayes," responded Conkling, with some other remarks which were not complimentary to the head of the administration, when there were exclamations of mock surprise and loud laughter in the senate. One letter asked for the appointment of a man because he was the writer's wife's sister's son

Altogether, the exhibition which Conkling made of the miseries of the administration of civil service reform was a very humiliating one, and it showed that, while the president may have been trying to reform the civil service, he has put men around him who have, to the least, have had the weakness of ordinary politicians.

The roll being called on the question of confirming the nomination of General Merritt, the vote resulted, yeas 33, nays 21, as follows:

Yeas—Bailey, Bayard, Beck, Burnside, Cameron, (Wis.), Coke, Conover, Davis, (W. Va.), Dawes, Dorsey, Ferry, Gordon, Grover, Harris, Hereford, Hill, Hoar, Johnston, Kirkwood, McDonald, McHenry, McMillan, Matthews, Morgan, Morrill, Oglesby, Randolph, Ransom, Saulsbury, Saunders, Shields, White, Windom, Withers—33.

Nays—Allison, Anthony, Blaine, Booth, Bruce, Chaffee, Cockrell, Conkling, Davis, (Illinois), Eaton, Garland, Hamlin, Howe, Jones, (Nevada) Kellogg, McDonald, Mitchell, Paddock, Patterson, Rollins, Sargent, Spencer, Teller, Voorhees—24.

Butler, Christiancy, Lamar, Merrimon, Plumb, Thurman and Wallace, who would have voted yes, were paired with Barnum, Edmunds, McPherson, Ingalls, Sharon, Dorsey and Cameron, (Penn.), who would have voted nay. Kernan, Jones, (Fla.), Maxey and Wadleigh, though present and not paired, did not vote, and Eaton making the 76th member of the senate, was absent without a pair.

An analysis of the vote and of the pairs on Gen Merritt's nomination, shows that 27 Democrats and 13 Republicans favored confirming, and 23 Republicans and seven Democrats opposed it. One independent, (Davis, of Illinois), voted against confirmation, four Democrats refused from voting, and one Democrat was absent without pair.

The New York *Tribune*, on Conkling's defeat, says: "Several considerations tended to this result. There was a growing feeling that it was neither fair to the officials concerned, nor good business policy, for the government to force in the most important office under the secretary of the treasury any such official openly hostile to him. Above all, there was a strong feeling that the New York custom house should not be permitted to become an open sore on the body of the Republican party. One way or another, the matter had to be adjusted and it seemed to be the easiest to adjust it by keeping in men against whom no complaints were made."

The *Times* has the following: "The struggle became a trial of strength between opposing political powers, and one in which it has little to do with the character, either of the new collector or the old one, as it has with the forgotten principles of civil service reform. Conkling's defeat may serve to restore to the public mind that moderation are quite as necessary qualifications for a successful politician as power of invective or the trick of calling names. Neither Conkling, nor any one else, however, can derive from the success of the administration in this struggle, any encouragement for political honesty or personal consistency."

The World's comments are: "Having no leadership, concerted plan of action, a good many Democrats took advantage of the liberty in nonessentials left them by the caucus to vote for Hayes nominations. They did this obviously under the impression that by doing it they would thus weaken the Republican party in New York. There was not much more civil service reform in this course than in the course of Sherman and Hayes, and it remains to be seen whether there was or was not much political gumption in it."

NEVADA'S DEAD TOWNS.

CITIES OF DESOLATION—HABITATIONS FOR DRAGONS AND COJETS FOR OWLS.

[Correspondence San Francisco Bulletin.]

Nevada is one of the very youngest and wildest of the states, nevertheless it is already strewn with ruins that seem as gray and silent and timeworn as if the civilization to which they belonged had perished centuries ago. Yet, strange to say, all these ruins are the results of mining efforts made within the last few years. Wander where you may throughout the length and breadth of this mountain shrouded wilderness, you everywhere come upon these dead mining towns, with their tall chimney stacks, standing forlorn amid broken walls and furnace, machinery half buried in the sand, the very names of many of them already forgotten amid the excitements of later discoveries, and now known only through tradition—tradition ten years old. While exploring the mountain ranges of the state during a considerable portion of three summers, I think that I have seen at least five of these deserted towns and villages for every one in ordinary life. Some of them were probably only camps built by bands of prospectors, and inhabited for a few months or a few years, while some specially interesting canyon was being explored, and then carelessly abandoned for more promising fields. But many were real towns, regularly laid out and incorporated, containing well built hotels, churches, schoolhouses, postoffices and jails, as well as mills on which they all depended, and whose well graded streets were filled with lawyers, doctors, brokers, hangmen and real estate agents, etc., the whole population numbering several thousand.

A few years ago the population of Hamilton is said to have been 8,000; that of Treasure Hill 6,000; of Shermantown, 7,000; of Swansea, 3,000. All of these were incorporated towns, with mayor, council, fire departments, and daily newspapers. Hamilton has now about one hundred inhabitants, most of whom are merely waiting in dreary inaction for something to turn up. Treasure Hill has about half as many. Shermantown one family and Swansea none. While on the other hand the graveyards are far too full.

In one canyon of the Toiyabe range, near Austin, I found no less than five dead towns without a single inhabitant. The streets and blocks of "real estate" graded on the hillsides are rapidly falling back into the wilderness. Sage brushes are growing up around the forges of the blacksmith shops, and lizards bask on the crumbling walls.

While traveling southward from Austin, down Big Smoky valley, I noticed a remarkable tall and imposing column, rising like a lone pine out of the sage brush on the edge of a dry gulch. This proved to be a smoke stack of solid masonry, seemingly strangely out of place in the desert, as if it had been transported entire from the heart of some noisy manufacturing town and left here by mistake. I learned afterwards that it belonged to a set of furnaces that were built by a New York company to smelt ore that never was found. The tools of the workmen are still lying in place beside the furnaces, as if dropped in some sudden Indian or earthquake panic and never afterwards handled. These imposing ruins, together with the desolate town, lying a quarter of a mile to the northward, presented a most vivid picture of wasted effort. Coyotes now wander unmolested through the brushy streets, and of all the busy throng that so lavishly spent their time and money here only one remains—a lone bachelor with one suspender.

Mining discoveries and progress, retrogression and decay, seem to have been crowded more closely against each other here than on any other portion of the globe. Some one of the band of adventurous prospectors who came from the exhausted placers of California would discover some rich ore—how much or little mattered not at first. These specimens fell among excited seekers after wealth like sparks in gunpowder, and in a few days the wilderness was disturbed with the noisy clang of miners and builders. A little town would then spring up, and before anything like a careful survey of any particular lode could be made, a company would be formed, and expensive mills built. Then, after all the machinery was ready for the ores, perhaps little, or none at all, was to be found. Meanwhile another discovery is reported, and the young town is abandoned as completely as a camp made for a single night, and so on, until some really valuable lode is found, such as those of Eureka, Austin, Virginia, &c., which formed the substantial groundwork for a thousand other excitements.

AN ALLEGORY, CHAPTER II.

Mr. W. Stanley, secretary of the investigating committee, in the following printed in the *Statesman*, retorts upon certain organs which have been temperariously attacking him for his share in the inquisition whose results have so greatly stirred up the admirers of the virtuous Grover-Chadwick administration:

If there is anything ashore that I really love, it is a friendly controversy with an honest man, one who has a staunch name, and character that reflects the light of the sun—the purity of the unbridden snows that crown the virgin mountain's top. When I find such a man, endowed with the learning and eloquence—the piety and philosophy of the ages that have wrapped the mantle of oblivion about their shadowy forms and crossed the mystic stream that separates the hubs from the hereafter, I can say right by him.

But what is this?

A. Noiter called and sworn.

Q. Are you a practical printer? A. Yes, sir.

Q. How long have you been engaged in printing?

A. For nearly 20 years.

Q. Were you appointed by the legislature of 1876 to act as expert upon the measurement of the session work of 1876? A. I was.

Q. Did you measure it? A. I looked over the matter; Cornell prepared the scales for me and the work list; I examined the work to see whether it would compare with the laws.

Q. Did you measure the work? A. I did not.

Q. You took Cornell's measurement? A. I did.

Q. In all? A. I did.

Page—Allison, Anthony, Blaine, Booth, Bruce, Chaffee, Cockrell, Conkling, Davis (Illinois), Eaton, Garland, Hamlin, Howe, Jones, (Nevada) Kellogg, McDonald, Mitchell, Paddock, Patterson, Rollins, Sargent, Spencer, Teller, Voorhees—24.

Butler, Christiancy, Lamar, Merrimon, Plumb, Thurman and Wallace, who would have voted yes, were paired with Barnum, Edmunds, McPherson, Ingalls, Sharon, Dorsey and Cameron, (Penn.), who would have voted nay. Kernan, Jones, (Fla.), Maxey and Wadleigh, though present and not paired, did not vote, and Eaton making the 76th member of the senate, was absent without a pair.

H. J. R. No. 49, of the session of 1872, provides that for pamphlets and journals paper 24 by 38 inches in size shall be used. The testimony of Mr. Keedy and also Mr. Sidnon who was foreman of the state printing office, shows that paper of that size was actually used, but the state was charged for paper only one-fourth that size, the printer making four reams of one. Thus for a ream of paper for which the law allowed $10, and which actually cost but $8, the printer obtained from the state $40.

House journal 1873, p. 552.

It will be seen that the state printer during the two years ending September 1, 1878, was overpaid on work measured by me exactly $7,854 47, added to $765 overpaid according to the testimony of ex-Secretary Chadwick, for covering documents never covered, makes $8,619 47. To this should be added probable pen rule overpayment on the $4,904 38, not measured, which makes such over-payment amount to more than $10,000—and this sum does not include &c. * * * * * * *

House journal 1878, p. 535.

Will our friend of the heroic conundrum, and jurassic allegory—the janisary of the *Mercury*, who molstens his daily bread in the sweat of his east iron cheek, appease the devouring curiosity of the people of Oregon, by explaining his percentage in this steal, or if he absorbed a lot of it. And will he please not to mix it with any drivel about "character," "honesty" or "chastity," nor intimate that because he is virtuous(?) the rest of us shall have no more cakes and ale.

W. STANLEY.

The ameer can neither read nor write. "What is the use of reading or writing?" he asks, "when one has hundreds of people to do it for one?" He is, however, said to be well up in history, the results of conversations with learned men, by whom he liked to be surrounded, as do most Indian princes.

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DECISION IN THE U S DEADY

U S Circuit Court—Dis

MONDAY February

Ruth A Semple and Eugene of British Columbia—No and occupat

(1) FORMER ADJUDICATION — order of a court is not an matter decided was within proceeding before the court the issue made and tried th (2) ACTION FOR RENTS AND PR monies profits the amount fendant while in the occupat for necessary repairs and leg Deducted from the gross rec and the balance is the dam tiff has sustained and thi recover

DEADY J

This action is brought to $4 400 for the use and oc and 3 in Park block No 1 land The complaint all fendant is a foreign corpor ness in Portland and that husband and wife and th that the defendant on July into the possession of the ceived the rents and profi of said lot 3 until May 1 1 mainder of said premises mencement of this action that during all said period A Semple was and now in her separate right of sai that the reasonable value profits during the period afo month

The answer of the defends 1 1879 denies the owner A Semple admits the possess ise by the defendant as alle they were worth $100 per m that the defendant received, premises during the period value of $4 297 67 and alleged thereon during the same pe repairs $1 049 85—paid tax thereon $674 48 and for loss by fire $530 50—$2 254 set off against the rent lea $2 042 74

The answer also contains adjudication, to the effect love, the circuit court for the Norman in a bill or suit a equity then depending the same parties, duly made a the whole matter and thing was finally determined an is still in full force and effect

The plaintiffs by their repl the affirmative allegations of cluding the defense of a for

The proceeding referred a former adjudication arose

On June 27, 1878, the A Semple, made and delivered note to the defendant in th payable on or before January terest at 1 per cent. per mo same day said Semple and th A Semple, executed a mortga rest to the defendant as securi ment of said note, that on suit was brought in the cir said to enforce the lien o which resulted on June 17 1 against said Eugene Ap for the sum of $10 223 with i from said date, and that the were admitted and declare rate property of Ruth A she upon execution to satisfy the costs and expenses of suit 18, 1874, said premises were fendant in pursuance of sa sale was confirmed on Augus conveyance thereof made to t the sheriff on May 20, 1875 on May 1 1878 the defendan in said circuit court, based u ings in said suit and an affida Francis, its manager, asking aside the return of the execu the decree in said suit, and proceedings thereon had, a issue a new execution upon or for such other relief as think proper to grant.

The affidavit of said manag lins of the proceedings in sai and then stated that the *possession of said property was conveyance* and said relat that in 1877 said Ru menced an action in the of the United States for against the defendant for of the possession of the w lot 3, claiming to be the own upon the grounds that the sh cuted the conveyance thereof suit, not being the sheriff who was without authority, and, s fendant being a foreign corpo having appointed an attorney accept service of process a vided by the statute of the st thorized to make said purch said conveyance and that sa upon the trial of said cause found said purchase and conv nullity, that said decision i that the defendant has no tit said premises whereby the de no satisfaction of said decree rental value of said premi month than the interest upon

Notice was given of the mo hearing the parties the no 1878 set aside the entry of sa den docket, the return on th authorized an alias execution force the decree and still s satisfy the same. The order —and it appearing that the d for some time been holdin property, it was further ordere bring into court the whole money taken by it from sa abide the future order of the was given to the plaintiffs m file affidavits or make furthe proceeding. The plaintiffs m —that is, filed no allegation but on July 8, 1878, the coun stating therein that the def possession of the premises as plaintiffs and should accounti ngly, that the receipts and the defendant in connection ises, were as stated above, balance due from the defend upon said decree, disbursem from all liability to the plain directed that execution issue of the decree—$13 280 06—fro the plaintiffs appealed and sa pending in the supreme court

On August 10, 1878, the pre on the alias execution to sati amount of said decree, and ol lowing said sale was confirm

The plaintiff Ruth A cla premises from the United Sta the donation act of Septembe child of Nancy Lowndale th H. Lowndale a settler upo under said section The pat tion issued to said Daniel H June 6 1865—the latter havi and the former in 1862, both i the circumstances the paten benefit of the parties who t take the donation upon such of which the plaintiff Ruth A Fields v Squires 1 Deady Starr Id 452 Lamb v Wa 252, Davenport v Lamb, 13 Forwards on August 12 180 partition of the west half of the same being the part there the surveyor general as instru the circuit court for the count set apart the premises in ques to the said Ruth A See F supra 391 Lamb v Starr su

Some question was made o ands of the evidence by the the title of Ruth A and the ment of the grounds of it the point is not seriously rel a sufficient answer to it is t that the defendant claims therefore is not at liberty to o subject to the mortgage and upon the alias execution 304 30 Gaines v New Orle

Upon this state of facts th adjudication hasn't a leg to proceeding before the circuit it was attempted to apply from the defendant to the p upon its decree against Ruth mether an action nor a suit to correct an error in the p to see such decree—to set as the officer upon the execution of satisfaction in the lien o pursuance thereof—because the supposed sale or the pro fendant was no sale for wa it to purchase the same or thereto The power of the co

The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING FEB 12 18

THE MORMONS AND THE LAW

Utah s polygamous delegate George Q Canno who takes Mrs Cannon to Washington in her plural capacity to comfort him with her multifarious society during his labors of statesmanship is both grieved and enraged over the recent decision of the supreme court on the subject of polygamy He thinks it exceedingly unjust and oppressive that after leaving the law of Is without enforcement during so many years congress and the courts should now at length resolve to hold to accountability those who have violated it—a complaint which is much the same as if one should take it ill that nature after her laws had been wilfully violated during long years should suddenly shut down on the individual and enforce her penalties which were all the time impending and sure at last to fall But Elder Cannon now promises that the law shall be obeyed He says that no more plural marriages will take place but that the people of Utah will accept and abide by the law as delivered by the supreme court This is presented as part of an appeal against further prosecutions but it may be doubted whether the brother at Washington has authority to speak for his people on this subject The Mormon newspapers in most turgid rhetoric denounce the decision of the supreme court and the new act against polygamy proposed in congress and declare that the utmost power and spite of tyranny shall not force them to renounce a cardinal doctrine of their revealed religion

While bluster of this kind is entitled only to contempt it is nevertheless impossible not to feel some pity for many of those who have been led into this unlawful and abhorrent practice and especially large numbers of the women who in a double sense are the victims of it Many of the men too are emigrants from Europe of the more ignorant class and may have had no adequate notion of the situation into which they were led by Brigham Young and his associates and successors. It is however well to recollect that it was the Mormons themselves who offered more than a legitimate or merely pacific opposition to the law of 1862 In fact, under the excitement caused by it no life except a Mormon s would have been safe in Utah except for the presence of troops of the United States. Again it is by no means certain that Elder Cannon's promises at Washington will be regarded by any considerable number of the fanatics whom he represents All the hierarchs of this so called Zion have maintained and do still maintain that polygamy is no non essential but is one of the things indispensable to salvation True one small sect on of Mormonism does not recognize the foul practice, but this party has had no influence in shaping the policy of the church No doubt it was Brigham Young s strong will and the power he acquired over his people that had much to do in inspiring the resistance offered to the law They may be more tractable now, but it must be confessed that the prospect of speedy extinction of this disgusting evil is not very hopeful. Yet among decent people there can be no doubt of the obligations of the government in regard to it

THE COMSTOCK MINES

A Nevada newspaper referring to the crosscuts in progress on the Comstock lode expresses apprehension that they may prove barren It frankly says that in that event it will be good bye Comstock and Virginia City If it adds, there is not a good body of ore between the 2,000 and 2,300 levels there is certainly nothing within 300 feet above and there is nothing for the same distance below To do dead work for two or three hundred more feet with only a doubtful prospect would be impossible Assessments could not be raised to do it The expense of raising useless rock to the surface or even to the line of the Sutro tunnel, coupled with the strong probability of encountering large bodies of water and the obstructions offered by the intense heat would render the work of prospecting on uncertain ties at such enormous depths out of the question The Comstock will either be selling for $200 000 000 the first of June or it won't sell for assessments '

It might not be the heaviest calamity that could befall the Pacific slope if the worst of these anticipations should be fulfilled Sooner or later the catastrophe must come The mine will not yield always at the rate of the last ten years and so long as occasional strikes are made there will be fostered a spirit of gambling which will continue to demoralize industry, rob the large class who are drawn into the vortex of speculation augment the already colossal fortunes of the bonanza kings and do mischief in every way to the industrial and moral interests of the country Through hopes of such strikes which are adroitly played upon at stated times by the managers of the mines particular stocks are run up to enormous figures, and then the manipulators of the game unload' upon the people who are credulous enough to 'invest and gather in millions by a species of robbery which if practised in anything else would send its authors to the penitentiary as the phenomenal scoundrels of the time It has often been thought that people would learn but they won t so long as the least hope is held out of gaining a prize in this the most uncertain of all lotteries. There is not one chance in a million Practically there is no chance at all

The yield of these mines costs on the whole far more than it is worth A few individuals amass great wealth but for the great mass of people there is no profit nor anything but loss The same energy and capital directed in other industries would bring far better general results The history of the world shows that mines of gold and silver have made no country rich Oregon has in her unfailing agricultural products a source of wealth which she could not afford to exchange for all the alluring and deceptive promises of bonanza mines It would be less matter if our industry and business did not share some degree of general demoralization produced by fever ish speculation in this absurd lottery founded on the Comstock lode which diffuses its poison through nearly all the currents of life on the Pacific slope

William H Wallace of Washington territory died at Steilacoom on the 8th February He was born in Miami county Ohio July 1 1811 removed in his youth to Indiana and thence 183 to Iowa where he served in both branches of the territorial legislature He was appointed by President Taylor receiver of public moneys at Fairfield Iowa which office he held until the beginning of Pierce s administration In 18 3 he removed to Washington territory After serving several years in the legislature of the territory he became a candidate for delegate in congress but was defeated by Gen Stevens This was in 1859 In 1861 he was appointed governor of the territory by President Lincoln Soon afterwards he was elected delegate to congress and was subsequently appointed governor of Idaho from which territory he was immediately returned to congress as delegate At the expiration of his term as delegate from Idaho in 1865 he returned to Steilacoo in which he has since resided Col Wallace was a true man and was held in high esteem

The Maine legislature is inquiring into the expediency of abolishing the free high schools of the state It is an inquiry that is becoming general throughout the country In Maine there are also two normal schools which are supported by the state But they are pronounced little more than costly failures An argument for the free high schools is that they are needed to keep up the supply of teachers But how would it do to let teachers find means to educate themselves? It is no more the duty of the state to educate certain persons to be teachers than it is to educate others to be physicians or machinists On this whole subject the country has started wrong But the general discussion now going on about it indicates that there will soon be a return to the sound and comprehensive principles of the old common school system

It is intimated by the New York *Times* that a project is on foot in financial circles to test the constitutionality of the law in regard to resuming the legal tenders Eminent legal authorities generally agree that the supreme court would of necessity condemn the law on the ground that to attempt the reissue of greenbacks that have been paid once would be to assert the power of the government to issue legal tender notes in time of peace A decision of this kind is almost a necessity to put a final quietus on schemes of robbery and confiscation through issues of depreciated legal tender

The New York *Tribune* thus describes Belton s behavior before the Potter committee He was not only dreadfully embarrassed hesitating and contradictory on cross-examination but even his direct testimony was a painful exhibition from the very start He evaded provocative statements explained involved himself hopelessly in meshes and muddle and was sometimes five or ten minutes in answering yes or no Had the *Tribune* been describing the manner of Chadwick Hackleman or Cann it could not have done it more accurately

The New Orleans *Times* finds little consolation in being impoverished by natives of Louisiana It says At the end of two years of genuine self government we are no better off than we were before except in purely sentimental consolation of knowing that we are being misgoverned and impoverished by our own people

The Boston *Post* (Dem) gives this warning to northern Democrats 'Gen Bragg of Wisconsin cracks his whip too often and too loud If the Democratic party has to choose between the 185 votes of the solid south and the 3 occasionally obtained from Wisconsin Wisconsin will have to go

During the year 1878 there was a steady flow of gold into this country Reports of the bureau of statistics, just published, show that $1,974 173 more gold was imported than was exported, while in 1877 the exports of gold exceeded imports by nearly $25.000 000

It is called by the Chicago *Inter Ocean* a high moral spectacle to see Mr Tilden mount the stand and say, "I can t tell a lie as was Pelton with his little hatchet '

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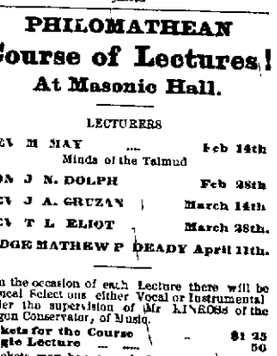

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PRICE OF ADMISSION

Gents, Masked,	$2 00
Ladies, "	1 00
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Tickets for Masks and Reserved Seats will only be sold at Allsky & Hegele s

No extra charge for reserved seats

Doors will be opened at 7½ o clock

Grand March of Masks promptly at 8 30

All Masks must identify themselves to the Committee

Doubtful characters not admitted

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For account of whom it may concern

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1 Very Elegant Walnut Bedroom Set
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3 Marble top Tables
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Coffee green Costa Rica CHOICE 3 lbs for	1 00
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Table Raisins in 5lb boxes	75
Tongues and Sounds per kit	2 75
No 1 Mackerel per kit	2 50
Tomatoes from either of 3 packers 6 cans for	1 00
per doz	1 75
Oysters 3 cans for	1 00
Corn standard brands 5 cans for	1 00
Asparagus 3 cans for	1 00
Blueberries Eastern 4 cans for	1 00
Fish Chowder Boston 2 cans for	1 00
Salmon 1 lb tins 6 cans for	1 00
Salmon 2 lb tins 4 cans for	1 00

Other Goods in the same ratio

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Assets, Nov. 1, 1878 . $618,484 10

LIABILITIES—
Fire Losses — $6,400 00
Unp'd Dividends 2,827 00 9,227 09

Surplus for Policy Holders, $609,157 19

Losses Paid Since Organ'n $1,315,874 10

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TO RENT

THREE LARGE ROOMS PARTLY FURnished with large closets for light housekeeping Inquire on premises in the central part of the city References required Address A S Postoffice f26dtf

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A FINE FARM CONTAINING 320 ACRES, of which is in cultivation will be rented for a term of years on easy terms Apply to W J QUICK Norton House Block First st between Band C f26tf

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ALL OF BLOCK 101 COUCH'S ADDITION TO City of Portland between Band G and Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets either by the lot quarter block half block or all of Block For particulars call on ATKINSON & WAKEFIELD Real Estate Agents cor Front and Stark f29

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PIPER & DONOVAN, ARCHITECTS,

Office in Odd Fellows Temple Room No 12 cor. First and Alder streets.

JULES KNAPP, ARCHITECT,

Church's Building S E cor First and Morrison sts

MISCELLANEOUS.

NOTICE

MY WIFE ESTHER C LARSSON AND HER daughter Caroline on the 10th day of February 1879 left voluntarily my bed and board in Multnomah county Oregon This will notify the public that I will be in no wise responsible for any of the debts or liabilities incurred by the said Esther and said Caroline PETER LARSSON f16d6t

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE PARIS D Giltner will not be connected with the firm of White & Giltner having retired from the firm The business will hereafter be conducted by Eugene D White and J S Giltner under the firm name of WHITE & GILTNER. a15tf

DISSOLUTION NOTICE

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTing between the undersigned under the firm name of Mendelson Bros has this day been dissolved by mutual consent Mr A L Mendelson retiring therefrom The business will hereafter be conducted by B Mendelson who will pay all debts and alone is authorized to collect all debts due the firm A L MENDELSON B MENDELSON

Portland Or February 8 1879 f8d6t

NOTICE

MR S B BIGGEN IS NO LONGER CONNECted with the New Zealand Insurance Co ja22d1m C P FERRY Inspector

State Treasurer's Second Notice.

TREASURER'S OFFICE, Salem Or Jan 30 1879

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE are funds for the payment of the following Warrants payable from tax for current expenses endorsed subsequent to Oct 20 1876 classed and numbered as follows

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Also issue of 1878 Nos 1564 1566 1868 1869 1870 Interest on the above warrants will cease from this date. EDWARD HIRSCH State Treasurer ja30d12w

State Treasurer's Third Notice.

STATE TREASURER'S OFFICE, Salem Feb 5 1879

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FOLlowing warrants endorsed prior to Aug 15 1873 Payable from revenue derived from special tax will be paid on presentation numbered as follows

344 346 356 600 601 604 817 1020 1046 1047 1048 1049 1050 1052 1054 1058 1059 1060 1061 1062 1063 1070 1072 1074 1075 1078 1081 1085 1087 1088 1089 1090 1091 1095 1100 1101 1105 1106 1109 1110 1111 1122 1125 1128 1129 1131 1136 1140 1141 1143 1144 1145 1148 1149 1150 1152 1161 1165 1170 1171 1172 1240 1256 1257

Interest on the above Warrants will cease from this date. EDWARD HIRSCH State Treasurer

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Wart and Corn Plaster,

NEVER FAILS TO CURE

STOP BURNING AND CUTTING YOUR WARTS and Corns and buy Six of August Vahlbusch s Wart and Corn Plasters for One Dollar which will cure quick and without pain This is no humbug The Wart and Corn Plaster is warranted to cure in every case August Vahlbusch s Wart and Corn Plaster can only be obtained at his Mill street or by sending one dollar by Post office money order Address AUGUST VAHLBUSCH P O box No 77 Portland Oregon j13tf

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The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING FEB 12 1879

CITY.

THE STRIKING CLOCK—Notwithstanding the rainy weather is receiving extensive patronage the spacious room being at times hardly large enough to accommodate the crowds in attendance Its success is not to be wondered at as its intricate combination of automatic and astronomical movements produce on the minds of all a sense of wonder and astonishment at the incomprehensible agencies displayed in its construction one can afford to lose this opportunity of viewing what has for centuries been considered one of the wonders of the age It will no doubt continue to excite a lively desire on the part of all to see it as it is a most worthy object of inspection for all classes It will remain on exhibition afternoon and evening at Halprunes dancing academy until further notice

LIVELY —Boating on the upper Willamette was very lively just at present Says the Salem *Statesman* of Tuesday The steamer *Ohio* came down the river yesterday with a load of wheat which was discharged at the Kinney couring mills Three steamers passed up the river last evening and this morning for wheat at way points between here and Harrisburg The river during the recent rain, has raised about four feet and is steadily rising and if it remains at a good boating stage for two weeks most of the wheat stored on the river will be shipped to the markets

S S STATE OF CALIFORNIA —The San Francisco *Chronicle* of the 6th says It was expected that the new steamship of the P C S S Company *State of California*, would leave Philadelphia on her trial trip yesterday She was to proceed directly out to sea and be gone three days during which time she has been guaranteed to run fourteen knots an hour, and it is confidently believed that she will considerably exceed that rate of speed The *State of California* will receive cargo soon after the return from her trial trip, and will then sail for this port

TELEPHONE LINES DOWN —The heavy snow storm which prevailed here Monday night prostrated a number of the lines belonging to the American Telephone and District Telegraph Company Telephonic communication, as a natural consequence has been interrupted between many of the stations and the central office A force of men were engaged yesterday in repairing the damage done and all the lines will be up and in operating condition as rapidly as possible.

TO THE BAR.—Mrs. Dunaway, president of the Oregon State Woman s Suffrage Association, requests that the lawyers attend the meeting at Masonic Hall this evening to hear the address upon woman's enfranchisement, to be delivered by Hon. F O McCown, of Oregon City Mr McCown is a clear and forcible speaker, and will doubtless be able to give a reason for his position upon this important subject Let there be a large crowd to hear him.

A STORELESS HAMLET —A subscriber writing from Milton, Umatilla county, says Milton is improving fast. There are about 45 families in the town and not one store. We have four blacksmith shops, two mills, one single factory, one planing machine, one woolen, two hotels, and we will build a brick school house, 40x50, two stories high, this coming summer.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.—The steamer *Great Republic*, which is loading at San Francisco, will sail for this port on the 20th of Feb. returning. the *Great Republic* will sail from Portland on March 1st. The steamer *Geo. Wilder*, which arrived here yesterday forenoon, will sail for San Francisco next Sunday morning, at 6 o'clock.

COMMISSIONS ISSUED —Gov Thayer has just issued commissions to H. H. Learned captain, Frank Jackson first lieutenant, Zachariah S Russel second lieutenant Co C, 2d Reg., 3d Brig, O. S. M., in Umatilla county Ezekiah Caples, St. Helens, and S. V Knox Umatilla county, notaries public.

ENTERTAINMENT —There will be a social entertainment given by the ladies of the Unitarian church on Wednesday evening at the chapel It will consist of music, singing, reading, &c., to conclude with "Shadow Pantomime" Refreshments served during the evening

DISCHARGED —Mr Adolph Wolf, who was recently arrested at Independence for selling cigars without a license, and brought to Portland, has been discharged It appears that he had sent to this city to have his license renewed, and it was unintentionally neglected.

GOSPEL MEETING —The union gospel meeting in the Baptist church will be conducted to-night by Rev A L Lindsley, D D. A short sermon may be expected, followed by a testimony meeting, and this by a meeting for religious conversation.

DROWNED —Last Saturday Oscar, a little four year old son of Councilman John Mcmann, of Astoria, was drowned while playing about one of the docks. The little fellow fell overboard and before assistance could reach him life was extinct.

THE COURTS.

PORTLAND, February 11, 1879.

U S. DISTRICT COURT—DEADY, J.

In the matter of S. Steinheimer, a bankrupt, petition of assignee to sell real estate referred to the Registrar

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—BELLINGER J.

John McCraken vs D Hyman; dismissed without prejudice at plaintiff's cost.

Hawley, Dodd & Co vs Geo. F. Sachs et al; plaintiffs allowed until Saturday to plead to answer

Young vs Young, default referred to C. Beal to take testimony and report facts

COUNTY COURT—RICE, JUDGE.

LAW.

Wong Ying, J P O Lowsdale guardian, vs Tuen Wa Co., findings of court made in favor of plaintiff for $185, and interest from December 1st, 1878

PROBATE.

In the matter of the estate of Geo W Vaughn, deceased; order made allowing administrator to take will of deceased from files of the court

In the guardianship of Sherman W and Perry Walker, minor heirs of J S Walker deceased, order made appointing James Steel guardian of said minors, and to give bond in the sum of $2000

POLICE COURT NOTES.

The following defendants were disposed of James Todd, $5, Robt Duke $5 Thompson $5 Pat Smith, $5 John Gruber, $5, Mike Brown, $5

John A Cook, larceny, held to answer Alex Phillips same charge, dismissed Lou Qui and Sou Lam keeping a bawdy house, case continued.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Mr Samuel Greenberg who is well known to the jewelry trade, has associated with him C Henrichsen at the old stand 148 First street The house has a wide reputation which will be further advanced through the change announced in our advertising columns.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

SATISFACTION

Van B DeLashmutt and wife, and H B Oatman and wife to Henrietta Plamondon $1 300 February 11 1878 on N ½ blk 16 Carruthers add

AUCTION SALE —As will be seen by reference to their advertisement Messrs Creighton & Co will hold a sale this morning of new and second hand furniture The above firm have recently moved to the large and commodious premises occupied by Mr Levi where they intend to carry on a general auction business Their sale days will be Wednesdays and Saturdays

HOME AGAIN—Wm Press at the Bee Hive bootblack stand, First and Stark streets

Ladies who want stylish ready made suits call at Mrs Pilger s the leading dress maker of Portland Alder street, near First

Infants' outfits flannel embroidered shawls and skirts ladies ready made suits and wrappers always on hand and made to order at Mrs H Ach s corner Second and Morrison

FENDER'S OREGON BLOOD PURIFIER is not a bitters composed of refuse whisky, but a pure decoction of Roots and Herbs indigenous to Oregon.

BRIEF NOTES.

A Celebrated Case

One more unfortunate

Soon rapidly disappearing

How the rain poured last evening

Go to McCabe s for elegant valentines

Do not fail to witness "The Celebrated Case"

Fire destroying was very destructive yesterday

Every street was like a foaming torrent last night

Gunboats and overcoats commanded a premium yesterday

Look out for a flood The Willamette will be booming

Grand masquerade ball at Turn Halle next Monday evening

Grand jury indicted two persons yesterday in circuit court

Fifteen sacks of paper mail were brought up on the steamer *Elder*

Remember the concert on it this evening at Unitarian Church

During the past 24 hours the rainfall must have been nearly a foot

The Billiardists are getting excited over the coming tournament

Washing of street between First and Second is in a very muddy condition

The concrete pavement about the postoffice building is a great improvement over the brick

Considering the condition of the roads the overland mails arrive quite regularly and in good time.

The fire alarm bell gave one stroke this morning for the result of some one putting up a prostrate line

Another delegation of new home seekers arrived by the *Elder* Their objective point is eastern Oregon

Everybody stops to look at admire and purchase valentines displayed at Morse s show window by McCabe.

Literary and musical entertainment and package party by Coone Wright, post G A R next Friday evening.

A little more of this kind of weather and the ice gorge on the upper Columbia will be a thing of the past

The protracted meeting at the Unitarian Church entertainment are to be applied toward furnishing the parlors of the church

Luna has to hide her diminished head these nights and also pale her ineffectual fires also is too bashful to face Hyperion

The great billiard tournament will open at Ellis s billiard palace next Saturday evening For particulars see the advertisement.

A female whose reputation is most cloudless answering to the name of Big May, was fined $5 in Justice Davis court yesterday for the larceny of a

Those who had to go home last night at a late hour along the dark streets naturally called to mind the familiar lines of the late J Milton

Hail Holy Light offspring
Of Heaven first born

SUICIDE.

MR WM LOVE A WELL KNOWN CITIZEN OF THIS COUNTY DROWNS HIMSELF WHILE LABORING UNDER A FIT OF TEMPORARY INSANITY—BODY RECOVERED.

Yesterday morning intelligence reached this city that William Love the dairyman, living at Columbia Slough, was missing from his home and had committed suicide by drowning For the past few months he had been suffering from prolonged sickness, which had had a tendency to affect his mind and changing his usual cheerful nature to one of despondency Yesterday while with his family at breakfast he suddenly arose from the table and left the house Nothing was thought of his action at first, but his continued absence soon gave rise to alarm and a search was instituted He was tracked to the slough bridge and at about midway on the structure his coat and hat were found lying near the edge, leaving but little doubt that in a fit of despondency he had rid himself of his being by casting himself into the river Active measures were immediately taken to recover the body, his brother coming to the city to secure a set of grappling hooks for such purpose. At latest advices the body had not been recovered, though a large number of persons were engaged in the search. Mr. Love is the son of Captain Love, of the steamer *Traveler*, and was a well known and highly respected gentleman He was about 38 years of age and leaves a large family to mourn his untimely end.

LATER

Efforts which were made to recover the body of the missing man were successful After grappling for some time near where the hat and coat of Mr. Love were found, the body of the unfortunate man was recovered

PERSONAL.

Hon R P. Earhart, secretary of state, is in the city

Says the Jacksonville *Times* of the 7th Capt A P Ankeny largely interested in the mines of southern Oregon was in town this week on his return from San Francisco He is of course not favorably impressed with the prevailing weather but is quite hopeful After visiting the Sterling Company's diggings he proceeded to Galice creek yesterday

J C. Coolidge, Esq., chief clerk of the railway mail service on this coast, arrived on the steamer *Elder* yesterday morning Mr. Coolidge comes to make an official inspection of that branch of the mail service in this state He will remain here about a week Mr Coolidge has been connected with the railway mail service in this coast the past nine years. He is a very efficient officer and a courteous gentleman

AMUSEMENTS.

NEW MARKET THEATRE.—Last night was very stormy, but that unpleasant circumstance did not prevent New Market Theater from being well filled. That intensely thrilling play, "A Celebrated Case" was presented for the second time In some particulars the play was presented in better style than on its first presentation The play run very smoothly, and there was no "stage nervousness" manifested, which was noticeable on the first night. The crowded condition of our columns prevent an extended notice Suffice it to say that the various characters were admirably sustained and the piece in its entirety gave entire satisfaction. and several of the more thrilling scenes drew forth a storm of applause. Little Maud appeared to unusual advantage, her sweet, winning and artless simplicity drawing tears from many eyes. She has already won a warm niche in the public heart To night 'A Celebrated Case will be repeated Reserve your seats

OREGON STATE TEMPERANCE ALLIANCE.

The eighth annual session of the Oregon State Temperance Alliance will meet in the city of Albany, on Wednesday, Feb 19, 1879, at 10 o'clock P M. Article 2 of the constitution reads as follows "This alliance shall be composed of delegates duly elected and accredited from all temperance societies, churches, Sunday schools, and all organized bodies which are known to be in active working sympathy with the temperance reform and of all contributing members of this character who will qualify as hereinafter provided, the basis of representation being one delegate for the organization, one for every twenty members, and one for every fraction over ten" The O & C Railroad have agreed to carry delegates as follows Delegates will pay full fare to Albany and be returned free, upon certificates furnished by the secretary of the Alliance.

C M WHITNEY,
Secretary Corvallis, Oregon

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

A L Johnson Forest G	W R Lawrence S F
J C Coolidge S F	J S Moser, Silverton
Kate Peters Silverton	T D Martha, S F
Chas H Hall S F	R Kendrick S F
Miss J Semmers, S F	T F Johnson San Diego
C A Henry S F	J E Dixon S F
A M Kline S F	W R Caldwell S F
Geo C Sutton, Phila	Henry Garnett, S F
M L Reynolds St Helens	Mrs C Setter & son S F
C Watson Oakland	W H Barker, Dalles
H W Waters S F	R R Hall & wf Dalles
C M Vanderpool Benton	R P Earhart, Salem
H Knox Eugene City	W J Dutton S F
E S Smith, Tacoma	

JUST RECEIVED,

Per steamer *Geo W. Elder*, by Hachenay & Benn, Grocers, northwest corner Taylor and First streets Extra Eastern Bone ess Codfish Extra Eastern Cod (whole fish), A. No. 1 Mess Mackerel (headless), Tongues and Sounds, White Fish, Halibut Fins, Smoked Eels imported

As a family medicine in all ordinary diseases incident to child-life nothing will be found more universally adapted to such cases than Freese s Hamburg Tea

Mrs Dr Lou Patterson, clairvoyant physician and test medium, gives sittings daily Residence Columbia street bet 1st and 2d

Never go to a *second class gallery* for a photograph you will have to pay the same price that Buchtel charges for *first class work*

Photo work made for $1 per dozen less at Davidson Bros than at any other gallery north of San Francisco, and the work just as good when not better

The people appreciate *low prices* and *good work* by patronizing liberally Abell the photographer whose display speaks for itself *Don't forget* the place

IN TENDERING TO LADIES —Dickey's Creme de Lis' has now been before the public for ten years during which time this beautiful preparation has met with the highest approval at the hands of the fair sex—being as all who have used it will verify the only perfect preparation of its kind Every ingredient entering the composition of Dickey s Creme de Lis is subjected to the most rigid test of modern Chemistry to insure the uniformity and purity of its combination and neither time nor expense have been spared to make it perfect—it being well known the public will appreciate and support a truly meritorious article. Several new beautifiers under various names have lately started into existence, but Dickey's "Creme de Lis' has no competition in merit. Sold by all druggists.

WOMEN IN COUNCIL.

PORTLAND, Feb 11th, 1879.

The Oregon State Woman Suffrage Association met at the parlors of Dr Agnes Burr, at 11 o'clock A. M. The president, Mrs Abigail Scott Duniway in the chair

Minutes previous session read and approved, after which the president delivered her annual address

Miss C A Cusick, of New York was called out, who gave a brief but fitting speech in favor of women s enfranchisement

Remarks calculated the work of the association were offered by Mrs C A Coburn and others.

On motion, the president appointed the following committees On programme—Mrs A. Coburn, W H H McCord, Mrs August Rees Resolutions—Mrs J Cusick, M V C Edmunds Mrs H A Loughary Finance—Mrs N Hendree Dr Agnes Burr B C Dunaway Miss—Mrs D W Prentice, Mrs Ida Leslie, Prof Clark

On motion the secretary was authorized to furnish copies of these minutes to the daily papers in response to invitation from editors

Adjourned to 2 o'clock p. m.

H A LOUGHARY, Secy

The president delivered the following address

To the Citizens and Members of the Oregon State Suffrage Association

Six years ago this morning,—I have good reason to remember the occasion well—an earnest and devoted band of human rights advocates braved the then popular storms of ridicule and all the shafts of ignorance and prejudice and met in this city pursuant to notice from your present executive and many others and I formed the nucleus of this association which has grown from that unpretending beginning into a well organized and successful society that engages the respectful attention, of all the prominent citizens of the commonwealth

Of this the sixth anniversary and seventh annual gathering of ourselves together I am proud to welcome these veterans in our ranks who have been with us from the beginning The idea of woman s political enfranchisement which six years ago was so new and strange and consequently obnoxious to the unthinking, masses is now no longer opposed by any save the extremely timid, or naturally tyrannical Among the learned and philanthropic we count our friends in the state by thousands, and of the few who yet oppose us a majority will doubtless be convinced of the correctness of our claims before the labors of this association shall close

Of course there is a class, always numerically large, of the ignorant and vicious who yet naturally manifest a hatred for the idea of woman s freedom These will only yield to the irresistible current of human destiny Our object in holding these meetings is to awaken agitation and keep the question the work of educating public sentiment through consequent investigation Our labors are no longer ignored but re quired or ridiculed. The best men in the state and country are our co-laborers allies, and but few to oppose vote of the unthinking and ignorant, to whose flat we are compelled to remain in subjection yet a little longer, through power of the one-sided ballot, there would be no need of this convention

Since this Association began its organized existence we have held besides the six annual meetings previous to this one, four special or "call out" meetings, three in Salem, during the time of the annual legislative sessions, and one, last summer, in Astoria. These meetings have always been held with a view to influencing legislation on behalf of the best interests of women, and through her, the best interests of our common humanity As a society we have never been advocates of *only* woman's rights Our mission has been broader than this, and our platform has known no sex and acknowledges no principle save the inherent and priceless one of individual liberty.

As an Association we have had some sort of hearing before each session of the legislature which has convened since our organized work began. Never, until last September, were we honored with other than a brief, summary and strongly contested hearing, which was in its results unsatisfactory. True, we had presented upon our legislators, prior to that time to give us the "woman's sole trader bill," and the "married woman's property bill," both of which, however, must remain comparatively null until we can be empowered with the political freedom necessary to make such bills available to any class. Never, until the last session, has woman's right to a place in the government received a tacit indorsement from a vast majority of its legislators as a body. During that session, every bill for the promotion of woman's interests, which was brought up for consideration, was passed almost without objection. Women were made voters on all school questions and had interests, and their individual property rights were just as nearly secured to them by law as legislative action can secure them to any class which is denied personal representation

But, though I remained at the capital as your executive, during two-thirds of the entire session, I failed to get a bill before either house for amending the Constitution by striking out the word "male" from its code of rights the failure resulting from the desire of our friends to pass the other bills above mentioned before reaching this one Col N H Gates, of Washington had copies of this bill, purposely held it back until the others should be passed and then, though some unlooked-for parliamentary technicality about the time for introducing new bills, this one affecting the political rights of women was tabled for the term, in company with many others I was disappointed, but I could not help myself or this association. We are therefore compelled to possess our souls in what patience we can command till another biennial session, in the meantime never halting in our arduous work of educating the people to a higher sense of justice and equity

The cause of human rights and progress throughout the nation during the past twelve month The recent national convention in Washington was both successful and popular

Newspaper opinion, as an exponent of public sentiment, are devoted to the work, and as a rule imit plying and being well sustained The *Woman's Journal* of Boston Massachusetts, the *National Citizen* of Syracuse, New York, the *Mirror of Liberty* of Denver Colorado and our own *New Northwest* are circulated weekly among hundreds of thousands of intelligent readers Conventions are held annually in every state in the union and subordinated societies abound in different counties in every state The leaders are women with characters and reputation beyond reproach They have outlived calumny and trampled over suspicions Their names are familiar as household words Susan B Anthony and Mary Green, Lucy Stone and Mary A Livermore Dr. Clemence Lozier and Lillie Devereux Blake, Elizabeth Cady Stanton and Susan B Anthony, Miss Lockwood and Phoebe Cousins, Clara N Foltz, Laura De Force Gordon, Mary A Collins and Sarah L Knox, are only a very few of the more prominent ladies engaged in the work outside of Oregon whose devotion to duty has already rendered their names immortal.

A mighty army of workers, conspicuous among them being many grand and noble men crowd our rank and file, by whose steady progress, like the march of a great army it is slowly and surely bearing our leaders on to victory

Every woman who wields a pen or elevates her voice in public, whether her mission be that of teacher preacher, actress, doctor, clerk artist architect, editor, or orator, is, may be unconsciously to herself but none the less surely, occupying her place in the great phalanx of agents that demonstrate the mighty problem of what women can do Some of these may be apathetic, and others even may sneer at the pioneers who are hewing the way to their success, but their ignorance or injustice will make no difference in the final result Every thinker knows that but for this woman movement not one of these would maintain her place, and but for it not one of them would even have secured aught This work will go on till the victory is completed And to the end that liberty and justice may everywhere triumph over every species of tyranny and wrong, let us work together with a hearty good will to remove from the hands of woman every shackle of oppression, and when this is done the beginning of a new era shall dawn upon a government that is then to become, as it of right ought to be, of the people and by the people

EVENING SESSION.

The association met in Masonic hall at 7 30 in the evening and besides the members a very considerable number of visitors was present. The meeting was addressed by Mrs H A Loughary Mrs. D Burr and Mrs Duniway The speeches were well received all being devoted, of course, to the consideration of the objects of the association namely, the enfranchisement of women and the great reformations which are expected to follow

A choir of young people rendered some songs in imitation of the Seminoxe jubilee singers, and the audience was immensely pleased thereat

Unavoidable circumstances prevented Hon F O McCown, of Oregon City from being present and addressing the audience but he telegraphed that he would certainly be on hand to night

VALENTINES —Next Friday is St Valentine s day, and neither sex nor any age is debarred by the rules of propriety, ordinarily governing from being just as silly and having just as much sport as the circumstances of each will allow Mr Wm McCabe, at Morse s music store, is prepared with valentines to suit every taste and at all prices He invites inspection of his stock

The celebrated Warner Health Corset Misses corsets and Children waists at Mrs J M Dailous & Co Third street between Morrison and Yamhill

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Poor and needy persons suffering with disease will receive medical and surgical advice free on application at the Medical College on Fourth street, at 11 P M Wednesdays and Saturdays

SUPREME COURT.

Monday Feb 10 1879

James Jones guardian of E J Jones appellant vs Robert Jones et al respondents Appeal from Benton county Argued and submitted by Mr Bellinger for the appellant and Mr Wells for the respondents

Ex parte Richard superintendent of state penitentiary petitioner for writ of habeas corpus to obtain the custody of Chas Hall convict from Marion county Argued and submitted by Mr Bellinger for petitioner and Mr Dunniway contra

Adjourned till 9 30 A M to morrow

TUESDAY Feb 11

Ex parte Holladay et al petitioners for writ of certiorari to Clackamas county Argued and submitted by Mr Caples for petitioners and Mr Dolph contra

Wm Hume et al respondents vs S G Elliot et al appellants, appeal from Marion county Cause on trial

Adjourned till 9 30 A M

GOOD ADVICE.

During this cold, dreary weather, the air we breathe is impregnated with a malaria which is certain to effect the liver, stomach and bowels, causing them to become inactive, torpid and sluggish, accompanied with catarrh, cold and coughing You become bilious, suffer from headache, cold sensation and a general feeling of dispondency predominates throughout the entire system.

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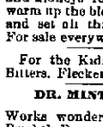

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IMPORTANT MAIL ROUTE AND CONNECTIONS.

The Rail Road Company of Oregon has this day entered into contracts with the Post Office Department for the carrying of the mails between Portland and Ashland, and between Portland and Roseburg, which will be of interest to the public.

We are informed that on and after the 1st day of March the present schedule time between Portland and Ashland will be changed so as to leave Portland at 7 o'clock A. M. instead of 4 P. M. as at present, and arrive at Ashland at 7 o'clock P. M. instead of 4 A. M. as at present. The object in making this change is to connect with the Southern Pacific Railroad at Ashland, which will enable passengers to reach San Francisco in 24 hours from Portland, instead of 36 hours as at present. Part of their mails now reach San Francisco via Ogden and Sacramento, but the most of their mails are carried by way of Ashland. The change will be a great convenience to the people of Southern Oregon, as they will then receive their mails from San Francisco in 24 hours instead of 36 hours as at present. Also, the change will be a great convenience to the people of Portland, as they will then receive their mails from Southern Oregon, and San Francisco, 12 hours earlier than they now receive them. Persons in other parts of the country expecting letters from Portland can also receive them 12 hours earlier than they now receive them, by writing to their friends in Southern Oregon, and San Francisco, requesting them to direct their letters to Ashland instead of Portland. This will be a great benefit to the people of Southern Oregon, as they will receive their letters from Portland 12 hours earlier than they now receive them. Persons in Portland will also receive their letters from Southern Oregon, and San Francisco

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DECISION IN THE U DEADS

U S Circuit Court—D

MONDAY Febru

Ruth A Semple and Eugen of British Columbia—No and occup

(1) FORMER ADJUDICATION order of a court is not a matter decided was with proceeding before the cou the issue—Acts and trial (2.) ACTION FOR RENTS AND mane profits the amoun fendant while in the occ for necessary repairs and deducted from the gross and the bala ce is the de tiff has an interest and recover.

DEADY J

This action is brought $4 400 for the use and and 3 in Park block No land The complaint fendant is a foreign corp ness in Portland and th husband and wife and that the defendant on Ju unto the possession of t ceived the rents and pr of said lot o until May 1 mainder of said p mencement of this acti that during all said period A Semple was and now in her separate right of that the reasonable valu profits during the period month

The answer of the defen 1, 1879, denies the own Semple admits the possession by the defendant as they were worth $100 per that the defendant rece premises during the peri value of $4 207 57 and allo thereon during the same repairs $1 049 85—paid t thereon $6 4 48 and for loss by fire $630 00—$2 set off against the recov $2 042 74

The answer also contain adjudication to the effe 1878, the circuit court for nomah in a bill or suit equity then depending, same parties, duly made the whole matter and the was finally determined is still in full force and ef

The plaintiffs by their the affirmative allegations cinding the defense of a

The proceeding "relied a former adjudication arc

On June 27, 1873 th Semple made and delive note to the defendant in payable on or before Janu terest at 1 per cent. per same day said Semple and A. Semple, executed a mo sect to the defendant as se ment of said note, that suit was brought in the said to enforce the lien which resulted, on June 1 against said Eugene for the sum of $10 223 wit from said date, and that t were admitted and decl rate property of Ruth A upon execution to satisfy costs and expenses of sai 18, 1874, said premises wo fendant in pursuance of sale was confirmed on Au conveyance thereof made the sheriff on May 20, 187 on May 1, 1878, the defen in said circuit court, based ings in said suit and an af Francis, its manager ask saids the return of the exe the decree in said suit proceedings thereon had, issue a new execution upo or for such other relief think proper to grant.

The affidavit of said ma lane of the proceedings in and then stated that th *possession of said property conveyance* and said r that in 1877 said menced an action in of the United States against the defendant of the possession of the lot 3, claiming to be the upon the grounds that the cuted the conveyance they ant, not being the sheriff was without authority, as fendant being a foreign co having appointed an atto accept service of proces vided by the statute of th thorized to make said p said conveyance, and that upon the trial of said c found said purchase and c nullity the said fecuso that the defendant has no said premises whereby the no satisfaction of said dec rental value of said pr month than the interest u

Notice was given of the hearing the parties the 1878 set aside the entry o hen docket, the return on authorized an alias execut force the decree and sal satisfy the same. The ori —and it appearing that th for some time been hol property at issue further on Being into court the wh money taken by it from abide the future order of t was given to the plaintiffs file affidavits or make fu proceeding. The plaintiff —that is, filed no allega but on July 3, 1879, the c stating therein that the possession of the premises plaintiffs and should accor ingly, that the receipts a the defendant in connecti ises, were as stated abo balance due from the defe upon said decree, discharg from all liability to the pl directed that execution is of the decree—$13,260 06— the plaintiffs appealed and pending in the supreme c

On August 10, 1878 the on the alias execution to amount of said decree, an lowing said sale was confi

The plaintiff Ruth A premises from the United the donation act of Septer child of Nancy Lownsdal H. Lownsdale, a settler under said section The tion issued to said Dani June 6 1855—the latter b and the former in 1862, be the circumstances the pa benefit of the parties w take the donation upon of which the plaintiff Ro Fields v Squires 1 De Starr Id 452 Lamb v 253, Davenport v Lamb terwards on August 12 partition of the west hal the same being the part th the survey or general as in the circuit court for the co set apart the premises in c to the said Ruth A supra 391 Lamb v Stan

Some question was ma sion of the evidence by the title of Ruth A and ment of the grounds of f the point is not seriously a sufficient answer to it that the defendant clai therefore is not at liberty subject to the mortgage upon the alias executio 304 307 Gaines v New

Upon this state of fact adjudication hasn't a le proceeding before the cir it was attempted to ap from the defendant to th upon its decree against neither an action nor an to correct an error in th force such decree—to se the officer upon the exe of satisfaction in the l pursuance thereof—becaus the supposed sale of the pro fendant was no sale for wa it to purchase the same or thereto The power of the c

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FINANCE AND COMMERCE

Financial

TUESDAY EVENING Feb 11, 1879

Silver coin—26@ per cent. discount

SAN FRANCISCO Feb 11—Currency—99 9@par

Trade dollars 91@9

New York Feb 11—Silver bullion $1 05 per fine ounce

U S bonds— 10s 10 s of 1881 1 1

London Feb 11—Consols 1 16 m 9 16 on account

Bar silver English standard per ounce 5d 1/16

U S bonds— 6 10 4 1 4

The monetary situation as far as the local market is concerned is very quiet and inactive exceedingly light nor is much improvement expected until the spring trade sets in in greater volume

In trade matters little has been done to lay owing to the unusual rain storm which made out door business impossible and to plaintiff checked work at the docks and wharves. Prices are generally unchanged

The rainy season so far of the past week has been unusually heavy and extensive extending over the entire region of Western Oregon and the great portion of California We are in receipt of the following dispatch this evening

SAN FRANCISCO Feb 11

It has been raining here all day with a gale in terms, one at 11 this morning with heavy squalls from strong, southeast wind Reports from northern and central portions of the state show a heavy rainfall for the last 4 hours.

The effect of these rains upon the San Francisco wheat market is expected will be to reduce prices as they render greater the probabilities of an abundant crop at the next harvest Another result will be to strengthen the combination formed to advance freights so that although producers there are benefited proportionally by the rains the same cause will work to their present disadvantage.

We are also in receipt of full telegraphic reports of the condition of the English crops and markets which will prove of great advantage to all readers in any way connected with the grain trade on this coast We call attention to the telegraphic reports below of even date herewith

English Crops and Markets

LONDON Feb 11—The *Mark Lane Express* says: Little plowing or spring sowing has been done to the present time Dry weather is required to bring the land in working order

The deliveries of home grown grain at the country markets have been considerable, but the quality of knglit wheat is unsatisfactory There were only limited supplies of dry milling corn which maintained low rates

The activity in nearly every branch of trade continues The imports have been light but the scarcity of money an entire want of speculation and distrust occasioned by numerous failures have reduced the British corn to a dead level Russian wheat has arrived by way of Reval St Petersburg and Cronstadt are still teebound The first shipments from San Francisco have also arrived The American visible supply continues unprecedently large. The quantity in view at the principal grain centers on the 1st of February was 20,875,000 bushels. In the face of such large supplies business has dragged during the week Buyers have held aloof in the hope of obtaining greater concessions from sellers and prices are weak and unchanged The check to supplies caused by the closing of the Sound has caused oats to rally six pence to a shilling per quarter Maize to arrive has eased slightly On the spot corn is not purchasable on lower terms. All other cereals moved off slowly at nominally low rates with small arrivals at ports of call During the week the floating trade for wheat was firm All positions occasionally advanced three pence to six pences per quarter for Ghirka description Maize and barley in limited supply and prices maintained. Sales of English wheat during the last week 63,738 quarters Imports into the United Kingdom for the week ending February 1st, 958,799 cwt of wheat and 108 741 cwt of flour

New York Markets.

NEW YORK Feb. 11—The southeast rain storm has prevented any business at the wharves of Pacific coast vessels to-day

Market quiet, yet steady

Flour firmer and in better demand. Wheat quiet, 3@c higher Pork quiet, 10c lower sold 89 new $10 75 Lard dull 7½c lower, closing weak. Rio coffee unchanged. Refined sugars quiet and steady Teas very firm. Hides in trifle better demand. Leather in fair demand for choice grades. Turpentine quiet and firm at 37 Rosins very firm for better grades business quiet Borax in fair demand and steady Quicksilver weak and nominal 41½@42 Petroleum steady Dry goods—There is a good deal of demand for cotton goods but nothing doing in woolens Wool still quiet but firmly held

Philadelphia Wool Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb 11—Wool firm with improved demand. Colorado 18@22 for washed 12@15 unwashed 30@35 extra merino pulled 27@30 No. 1 and superfine pulled

English Wheat Market.

LONDON Feb. 10—Floating cargoes steady Cargoes on passage and for shipment steadily held.

Mark Lane inactive.

Good cargoes off coast—No 1 spring wheat, medium Chicago or Milwaukee 480 lbs sea damaged for sellers account less usual 2½ per cent com mission 38s 6d@40s red winter 43s California 500 lbs. 43s.

Good shipping California wheat on passage, per 500 lbs Queenstown or orders just shipped or to be shipped promptly 42s 6d nearly due 42s 6d

Fair average Chicago or Milwaukee for shipment present month and following one 480 lbs. American terms 37s

Parcels for delivery during the week 60,000@65,000 centals

LIVERPOOL, Feb 10—Wheat spot dull.

Fair to choice shipping club per cental, 9s 2d@9s 3d.

Fair to choice shipping California per cental 9s 10½@9s 1d

Red Am spring shipping No 2 to No 2 per cental 7s 4d@8s 2d.

San Francisco Produce and General Markets.

[FIRST DISPATCH]

SAN FRANCISCO Feb 10

Wheat—Market off choice milling sold at $1 67½ and good shipping at $1 67½ New York market strong at $1 68@1 71 per bu

Barley—Feed barley weak coast, 90c

Corn—Large yellow bid 90.

Flour—Unimproved in all respects

[SECOND DISPATCH]

Wheat—California milling sales reported at $1 72½ Shipping California choice $1 67½

Oats—No choice to extra choice feed in market but plenty of common for which there is no demand the call being confined to choice For all kinds of cereals the market is affected by the weather which is unsettled We have had heavy rains all over the state with prospects favorable for more as the wind is in the right direction The offerings of wheat is fair, corn very large barley very large common feed bait very large The demand for all kinds is of a slow and cautious nature. Buyers manifest the same indisposition to operate causing a weak market.

EASTERN MARKETS

CHICAGO Feb 10

Wheat—87⅞c bid for March delivery

Shipping Intelligence.

[BY TELEGRAPH]

SAN FRANCISCO Feb 11—Arrived—Am schr Leo Honolulu

Sailed—Str City of Chester Victoria Am ship Great Western Seattle Am ship Palmyra Havre

LIVERPOOL Jan 28—Arrived—Br ship Lorde Farren S F

PLYMOUTH Jan 29—Arrived—Br ship Stuart S F

LIVERPOOL Feb 3—Arrived—Am ship Allen Monroe S F Br ship McCallum More S F Ger ship Galatea, S F part of cargo damaged Br bk George Bewley S F

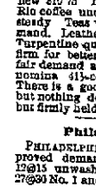
MARSEILLES Feb 6—Arrived—Am bk Wm Hales S F

QUEENSTOWN Feb 9—Arrived—Br bk Santiago cargo shifted a loss of bulwarks

QUEENSTOWN Feb 10—Arrived—Br ship Bremen S F

NEW YORK Feb 11—Br ship Rajah ot uninjured

CONSUMPTION.



Mrs William Lawrence writing to Mr Sellows says I cannot tell you how many have called to inquire if I really had been as ill as reported and if it was the Syrup alone which so wonderfully restored me (a consumptive) to such good health With gladness I tell them all this. Recovering as I do to Fellows Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites, with the blessing of God upon it

Dr Earle's Testimonial

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SAN FRANCISCO STOCK EXCHANGE.

SAN FRANCISCO Feb 11

Ophir—60 shs $10 79½, 80

Mexican—300 shs $3 85½

Gould & Curry—550 shs $1 04, 15, 15½

Best & Belcher—515 shs $2 25, 30

Caledonia—350 shs $ ¾, ⅝

Savage—60 shs $1 30, 35, 1 35

Con Va—60 shs $3

Challenge—60 shs $1 00

Potosi—700 shs 90, 95

Jacket—1 00 shs $2 25, 25, 23½, 25

Imperial—250 shs $1 —, 1 30, 1 40

Belcher—350 shs $1 —, 1 —

Alpha—50 shs $1 12½

Sierra—1800 shs $1 —, 1 00, 1 05

Belcher—10 shs $

Confidence—90 shs $1 —, 1 10, 1 12½, 1 15

N Nevada—100 shs

Utah—200 shs $1 —, 1 —

Bullion—1 00 shs $1 —

Exchequer—1 00 shs $

Black Hawk—1 shs $

Overman—100 shs $1 17½

Justice—300 shs $ —, —

Sales—50 shs $1 —

Con Va—5 shs $

Union—100 shs $ 6 —, 10, 61

Alta—100 shs $ 9½, 8

Lady Elgin—1 shs $1 80, 1 90, 1 95

Gould—50 shs $1 03, 4, 1

Caledonia—1 shs $ 1

Baltimore—50 shs $1 —, 1 05, 1 10

Hale & Norcross—50 shs $1 17½

Challenge—200 shs $ 4, 5

Potosi—15 shs $ 90

New York—1100 shs $1 05

Imperial—50 shs 90

Alta—50 shs

Mexican—50 shs $3 85

Con Va—115 shs $ 80

Jackson—400 shs $ 85½

Leopard—100 shs 80

Belle Isle—50 shs 5

Hussey—90 shs 10

Justice—400 shs 10, 15

Potosi—1850 shs 80

Argenta—1150 shs 80, 5

Navajo—250 shs 20c

Independent—1150 shs 80, 90

Silver Hill—500 shs $1 90

Tuscarora—2500 shs

Belle Isle—100 shs 5

Hillside—50 shs 52½

Highbridge—1950 shs $1 40, 1 45

Paradise—300 shs 5, 10, 9

Albion—250 shs 50c

Fourth July—60 shs 9

Bodie—500 shs 85, 90, 88

McClinton—100 shs 6

Summit—810 shs 8, 9, 10

Bulwer—50 shs $18 1 25, 15

Fourth July—1000 shs

Goodshaw—150 shs 40c

Belvidere—30 shs 50c

No Bodie—1100 shs 25c

Benker—200 shs 40c

Silver—650 shs 60c

Mono—61 shs $ 1 90

Manhattan—70 shs 85

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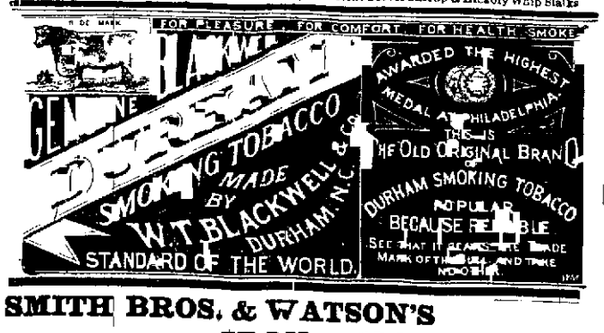

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Portland, January 30, 1879.

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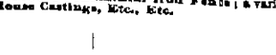

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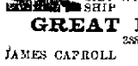

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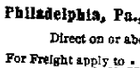

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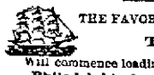

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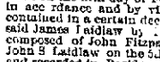

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